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Samit Kumar Basu et al.

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON FEBRUARY 24, 2005

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 24, 2005.

By the present Response new claims are added. A fee in the amount of \$500.00 is believed due as a result of the new claims (2 new independent claims over the number for which fees have been paid). The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite fee of \$500.00 (2 x \$200.00 for 2 independent claims  $+ 2 \times 50.00$  for 2 new claims overall), and any additional fees which may be required, to Deposit Account No. 07-0868; Order No. 131029-1/YOD (GERD:0228).

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